

Federal Denials

Reasons Why the NICS Section Denies

November 30, 1998 - December 31, 2014

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Prohibited Category Description</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	Convicted of a crime punishable by more than one year or a misdemeanor punishable by more than two years	654,036
2	Fugitive from Justice	127,949
3	Misdemeanor Crime of Domestic Violence Conviction	112,925
4	Unlawful User/Addicted to a Controlled Substance	99,614
5	State Prohibitor	57,217
6	Protection/Restraining Order for Domestic Violence	47,870
7	Under Indictment/Information	29,150
8	Adjudicated Mental Health	16,669
9	Illegal/Unlawful Alien	14,526
10	Federally Denied Persons File	5,770
11	Dishonorable Discharge	887
12	Renounced U.S. Citizenship	63
Total Federal Denials		1,166,676